

SENATE SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 463

2024 Regular Session

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KEYWORD AND SUMMARY AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

DENTAL HEALTH. Creates the Louisiana Dental Loss Ratios for Dental Healthcare Services Plans Act. (1/1/25)

SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO THE SENATE BILL

1. Clarifies certain information to be included in the calculation and report.
2. Requires the department's rule promulgation to be in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act.
3. Makes technical changes.

DIGEST OF THE SENATE BILL AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

DIGEST

SB 463 Engrossed

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Proposed law creates the "La. Dental Loss Ratios for Dental Healthcare Services Plans Act".

Proposed law defines "dental carrier", "dental healthcare service plan", and "dental loss ratio".

Proposed law requires dental carriers to file an annual report for dental loss ratios to the commissioner of insurance (commissioner) no later than March 1, 2025, and annually thereafter, no later than March 1st of each calendar year.

Proposed law provides the information required for inclusion in the dental loss ratio annual report.

Proposed law authorizes the commissioner to request additional information from the carrier to verify the annual report data.

Proposed law requires the dental ratio report to be published in a searchable format on the Dept. of Insurance's website no later than June 30, 2025, and annually thereafter, no later than June 30th of each calendar year.

Proposed law requires the commissioner to promulgate rules in accordance with the APA to effectuate proposed law.

Effective Jan. 1, 2025.

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